

House Resolution No. 2536

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State educators whose significant contribution of time and energy help ensure that students obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners, involved citizens, and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Kirt Mosier of Lee's Summit, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as the Director of Orchestras at Lee's Summit West High School, Director of the Digital Media Technology Center of Excellence at Summit Technology Academy, and Worship Director for Deerbrook Covenant Church; and

Whereas, Kirt Mosier recently enhanced his already impressive record of achievement when he was named as the 2008-2009 Teacher of the Year for the Lee's Summit R-VII School District; and

Whereas, Kirt Mosier was selected as the 2008-2009 Teacher of the Year by a committee composed of representatives from the Lee's Summit R-VII School District, Chamber of Commerce, and community; and

Whereas, holder of a Bachelor's degree and a Master of Music degree from the University of Missouri-Kansas City, Kirt Mosier previously was honored with a 2007-2008 Outstanding Music Educators Award for Missouri from the National Federation of State High School Associations and was named as one of "50 Directors Who Make A Difference" by School Band and Orchestra magazine; and

Whereas, Kirt Mosier has served as Orchestra Vice President for the Kansas City Metro District of the Missouri Music Educators Association, Missouri State Representatives for the National School Orchestra Association, and the Missouri State Coordinator for the National High School Honors Orchestra; and

Whereas, in addition to being a music educator, Kirt Mosier is a professional musician who has published more than sixty music works, including "Out of Adullam" for the Missouri All State Orchestra, the 2004 Merle J. Isaacs Composition Contest winning "American Reel", the National School Orchestra Association Composition Contest winning "Baltic Dance", and the 1993 All-State Orchestra "Revelation":

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the personal and professional accomplishments garnered thus far in the life and work of Kirt Mosier and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt congratulations upon being named as the 2008-2009 Teacher of the Year for the Lee's Summit R-VII School District; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Kirt Mosier of Lee's Summit, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Kate Meiners
District No. 46

Representative Jeff Grisamore
District No. 47

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2536, adopted May 5, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker